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In re Application of : Jacobs et al.  
Serial No. : 09/837,998  
Filed : April 19, 2001  
For : VIRAL VECTORS HAVING REDUCED VIRULENCE

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING  
PARTS OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f)**

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Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f), enclosed herewith is a Declaration referring to the above-identified application by one or more of the following in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63:

- Name of inventor and application serial number;
- Name of inventor, attorney docket number which was on the application as filed, and filing date of the application;
- Name of inventor, title of invention and filing date;

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Date of Signature

- Name of inventor, title of invention and reference to a specification which is attached to the oath or declaration at the time of execution and filed with the oath or declaration;
- Name of inventor, title of invention. As presently advised, the undersigned, a registered attorney, states that the application filed in the PTO is the application which the inventor executed by signing the oath or declaration.

Also enclosed are:

1.  A check in the amount of \$ 65.00  
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representing payment of the surcharge  
due for late filing of the Declaration  
pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e);
2.  An extension of time to file the Response  
to Missing Parts is respectfully requested.  
The required fee, calculated pursuant to  
1.136(a), is enclosed in the amount of \$ \_
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TOTAL FEE      \$ 65.00

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

**FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

***Filing Date Granted***

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

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